

Christ UMC Worship  
11.24.2024

**WE GATHER AS GOD'S PEOPLE**

OPENING MUSIC

Kate Ward

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Dr. Chris Haynes

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

\*OPENING HYMN

"Rejoice, the Lord is King"  
*Congregation and Worship Band*

715 (red hymnal)

**Rejoice, the Lord is King!  
Your Lord and King adore;  
mortals, give thanks and sing,  
and triumph evermore.  
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice;  
rejoice; again I say, rejoice.**

**Jesus the Savior reigns,  
the God of truth and love;  
when he had purged our stains,  
he took his seat above.  
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice;  
rejoice; again I say, rejoice.**

**His kingdom cannot fail;  
he rules o'er earth and heaven;  
the keys of earth and hell  
are to our Jesus given.  
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice;  
rejoice; again I say, rejoice.**

**Rejoice in glorious hope!  
Jesus the Judge shall come,  
and take his servants up  
to their eternal home.  
We soon shall hear th'archangel's voice;  
the trump of God shall sound, rejoice!**

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## \*OPENING PRAYER

**Eternal God,  
 you set Jesus Christ to rule over all things,  
 and made us servants in your kingdom.  
 By your Spirit empower us to love the unloved,  
 and to minister to all in need.  
 Than at the last bring us to your eternal realm  
 where we may worship and adore you  
 and be welcomed into your everlasting joy;  
 through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
 who lives and reigns with you  
 in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
 one God, forever and ever. Amen.**

ACT OF PRAISE

“Christ is All in All”  
*Gayle Cates, Worship Band*

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**GOD SPEAKS THE WORD TO US**

## PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

**Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit,  
 that, as the scriptures are read and your word proclaimed,  
 we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.**

SCRIPTURE

John 18: 33-37

Mary Jo Hanks

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

Aimee Cox

SCRIPTURE

Revelation 1:4b-8

Scott Heard

SERMON

Rev. Dr. Chris Haynes

**WE RESPOND TO GOD’S WORD**

RESPONSE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Aimee Cox

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven,  
 hallowed be thy name.  
 Thy kingdom come.  
 Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.  
 Give us this day our daily bread.  
 And forgive us our trespasses,  
 as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
 And lead us not into temptation,  
 but deliver us from evil.  
 For thine is the kingdom, and the power,  
 and the glory, forever. Amen.**

OFFERING

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\*DOXOLOGY

94 (Red hymnal)

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
 praise God, all creatures here below;  
 Alleluia! Alleluia!  
 Praise God, the source of all our gifts;  
 praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts.  
 Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit  
 Alleluia! alleluia! alleluia!**

SILENT REFLECTION

**WE ARE SENT TO BE GOD'S PEOPLE IN THE WORLD**

CLOSING SONG

*"Crown Him With Many Crowns"  
 Congregation and Worship Band*

327 (red hymnal)

**1. Crown him with many crowns,  
 the Lamb upon his throne.  
 Hark! how the heavenly anthem drowns  
 all music but its own.  
 Awake, my soul, and sing  
 of him who died for thee,  
 and hail him as thy matchless King  
 through all eternity.**

**2. Crown him the Lord of life,  
 who triumphed o'er the grave,  
 and rose victorious in the strife  
 for those he came to save.  
 His glories now we sing,  
 who died, and rose on high,  
 who died, eternal life to bring,  
 and lives that death may die.**

**3. Crown him the Lord of peace,  
 whose power a scepter sways  
 from pole to pole, that wars may cease,  
 and all be prayer and praise.  
 His reign shall know no end,  
 and round his pierced feet  
 fair flowers of paradise extend  
 their fragrance ever sweet.**

**4. Crown him the Lord of love;  
 behold his hands and side,  
 those wounds, yet visible above,  
 in beauty glorified.  
 All hail, Redeemer, hail!  
 For thou hast died for me;  
 thy praise and glory shall not fail  
 throughout eternity.**

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SENDING FORTH

Rev. Dr. Chris Haynes

BLESSING SONG

"The Lord Bless and Keep You"

Strathdee

**The Lord bless and keep you,  
 the Lord make his face to shine on you,  
 and be gracious, gracious.  
 The Lord bless and keep you,  
 the Lord lift his countenance on you  
 and give peace, give you peace.  
 Shalom, shalom.**

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CLOSING MUSIC

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## **Prayer List**

### **New Prayer Concerns**

Friends and Family of Julie Catterton following her death  
Gavin Partee Christianson  
Jean Beshears  
Karen Kiappes  
Olivia Haight

### **Ongoing Prayer Concerns**

Irene Archambault  
Matt Barr  
Velma Bradley  
Dave Bradley  
Melissa Brodnag  
William Bush  
Don Campbell  
Julie Cavell  
Gene Cotton  
Dave Edmunds  
Mary Fredenhagen  
Bishop Graves and family following the death of his father, Fred  
Colin Hudy  
Heath Hudy  
Jerry Kirk  
Caroline Lantz  
Linda Mallory  
Don Mason  
Sue Mueller  
Bob Munn  
Chuck Neighbors  
Andy Oliphant and Family following the death of his father, Junior  
Terry Paradise  
Peace in the Middle East  
Marshall Price  
Judson Randolph  
Room in the Inn  
Lizzie Rowan and Family following the death of her grandfather  
Amy Saffell  
Andrew Surrat  
Echo Meridian Thomas  
Ukraine  
Anna, Pete, and Summer Kirkham-Wareing  
Estella Weins  
John Wigant  
Terri Wildman